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1. Farmers in Anhwei have risen in a full-scale revolt against the Communist regime. This has made it necessary for the Communists to send many troops from Shanghai to Anhwei.
2. In the middle of the past week, during the labor dispute involving the China Textile Industries Incorporated (CTII)*, a Communist mediator from the labor office of the Shanghai Military Control Commission, accompanied by an armed guard, was sent to discuss the labor dispute. Both the armed guard and the Communist mediator were beaten and clubbed to death by the workers.
3. The unrest of the people, combined with the lack of control by Communist authorities over the extreme elements in the Chinese Communist Party and the soldiers in Shanghai, may create chaos during the next six months.

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